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1. [REDACTED] Received from the office of Senator Howard W. Cannon (D., Nev.) a copy of the letter received by the Senator from [REDACTED]. The letter has been forwarded to the Deputy Assistant Director of CSA.
2. [REDACTED] Met with Mr. Robert Michaelis, Staff Assistant, House Appropriations Committee, and briefed him informally concerning American protest to the Soviets regarding microphones in the American Embassy in Moscow.
3. [REDACTED] Met with Mr. Frank J. McNamara, Staff Director, HCUA, and advised him in response to his request for guidance concerning possible Chinese Communist involvement in the Dorji assassination that there does not appear to be any evidence to support the newspaper speculation of Chinese direction.
4. [REDACTED] In meeting briefly with Mr. Benny Kass, Counsel, Mass Information Subcommittee, he provided me with a copy of the letter of May 13 signed by Harold Brown for DOD concerning declassification of the Institute of Defense Analysis Study "An Assessment of Lie Detection Capabilities (U)". Mr. Kass also inquired whether we could advise concerning the three items listed in the bibliography of that study whether the title of the items are classified. I indicated that as a matter of courtesy I would attempt to check this matter for the Committee.
5. [REDACTED] Talked with Russell Blandford advising him that the eleven o'clock press conference by the State Department which I had mentioned to him the previous day had been cancelled.

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